



## Pennsylvania Broilers

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For the Week of June 30-July 6, 2002

### Pennsylvania Broiler Placements Up 4 Percent from the Previous Week

**Pennsylvania:** Broiler chicks placed in the Commonwealth during the week ending July 6, 2002, were 2,861,000, up 4 percent from the previous week and 6 percent more than the corresponding week a year earlier. Placements during the past 9 weeks were 1 percent above one year ago. Settings for broiler chicks were 3,990,000, up 2 percent from the previous week and 5 percent more than the same week a year ago. The current 3-week total of eggs set is 3 percent above the comparable period last year.

**Nineteen States:** Broiler chicks placed in the 19 selected States were 172,212,000, up less than 1 percent from the previous week and 1 percent more than the corresponding week a year

earlier. Placements during the past 9 weeks were 1 percent above one year ago. Settings for broiler chicks were 207,500,000, up 1 percent from the previous week and 2 percent more than the same week a year ago. The current 3-week total of eggs set is 2 percent above the comparable period last year.

**Expected Marketings:** Expected marketings, based on placements 7-9 weeks earlier, less mortality allowance, in Pennsylvania for the week ending August 31, 2002, will be 2,702,000, 4 percent more than a year earlier. The 19 States expected marketings should total 167,112,000, up 1 percent from the previous year.

#### Broilers Placed, Eggs Set, Expected Marketings

| Period Covered        | Pennsylvania    |                  |                 | 19 States       |                  |                 |
|-----------------------|-----------------|------------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------|-----------------|
|                       | Number<br>(000) | Percent          |                 | Number<br>(000) | Percent          |                 |
|                       |                 | Previous<br>Week | Year<br>Earlier |                 | Previous<br>Week | Year<br>Earlier |
| Broilers Placed       |                 |                  |                 |                 |                  |                 |
| Past Week . . . . .   | 2,861           | 104              | 106             | 172,212         | 100              | 101             |
| Past 9 Weeks . . . .  | 24,496          | -                | 101             | 1,551,082       | -                | 101             |
| Eggs Set              |                 |                  |                 |                 |                  |                 |
| Past Week . . . . .   | 3,990           | 102              | 105             | 207,500         | 101              | 102             |
| Past 3 Weeks . . . .  | 11,777          | -                | 103             | 620,656         | -                | 102             |
| Expected Marketings   |                 |                  |                 |                 |                  |                 |
| Week Ending:          |                 |                  |                 |                 |                  |                 |
| Aug. 31, 2002 . . . . | 2,702           | -                | 104             | 167,112         | -                | 101             |

**Poultry Slaughter:** Broiler-fryers slaughtered in Pennsylvania under Federal Inspection during the week ending June 29, 2002, totaled 2,150,000 head with an average live weight of 5.22 pounds.

**The 15 State total was discontinued on May 15, 2002.  
Data is now being reported as a 19 State total.**

Broiler Eggs Set, 19 Selected States

| State                 | Week Ending |          |          |          |          |         |
|-----------------------|-------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|---------|
|                       | Jun 1       | Jun 8    | Jun 15   | Jun 22   | Jun 29   | Jul 6   |
|                       | 2002        | 2002     | 2002     | 2002     | 2002     | 2002    |
|                       | Thousand    |          |          |          |          |         |
| AL                    | 29,510      | 29,497   | *29,149  | 28,913   | 28,535   | 29,240  |
| AR                    | 30,531      | 30,870   | 30,448   | 30,594   | 29,971   | 29,741  |
| DE                    | 3,666       | 3,402    | 3,623    | 3,422    | 3,416    | 3,478   |
| FL                    | 2,362       | 2,371    | 2,364    | 2,367    | 2,367    | 2,358   |
| GA                    | 32,688      | 32,724   | 32,672   | 31,898   | *32,415  | 31,738  |
| KY                    | 6,951       | 6,534    | 6,939    | 6,255    | 6,332    | 6,673   |
| MD                    | 10,023      | 9,898    | 9,962    | 10,082   | 9,385    | 9,849   |
| MS                    | 19,280      | 19,320   | 19,130   | 18,844   | 18,550   | 18,740  |
| NC                    | 19,313      | 19,921   | *18,234  | 18,896   | 18,361   | 18,397  |
| OK                    | 6,687       | 6,836    | 6,763    | 6,906    | 6,698    | 6,505   |
| PA                    | 3,983       | 3,998    | 4,041    | 3,885    | *3,902   | 3,990   |
| SC                    | 4,871       | 4,723    | 4,758    | 4,786    | 4,714    | 4,649   |
| TX                    | *15,322     | *15,289  | *15,247  | *14,658  | *14,492  | 15,148  |
| VA                    | 6,467       | 6,363    | 6,395    | 6,371    | 6,086    | 6,499   |
| CA, LA, MO, TN, & WV: | *20,633     | *20,568  | *20,693  | *20,093  | *19,962  | 20,495  |
| 19 State Total        | *212,287    | *212,314 | *210,418 | *207,970 | *205,186 | 207,500 |
| Previous Year Total   | 210,296     | 209,517  | 209,074  | 204,020  | 202,627  | 202,616 |
| Pct. of Prev. Year    | 101         | 101      | 101      | 102      | 101      | 102     |

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Broiler Chicks Placed, 19 Selected States

| State                 | Week Ending |          |          |          |          |         |
|-----------------------|-------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|---------|
|                       | Jun 1       | Jun 8    | Jun 15   | Jun 22   | Jun 29   | Jul 6   |
|                       | 2002        | 2002     | 2002     | 2002     | 2002     | 2002    |
|                       | Thousand    |          |          |          |          |         |
| AL                    | 22,280      | 22,467   | 22,064   | 22,081   | 22,541   | 21,896  |
| AR                    | 24,514      | 25,846   | 24,784   | 23,822   | *25,209  | 24,268  |
| DE                    | 5,705       | 5,648    | 5,362    | 5,259    | 4,988    | 5,351   |
| FL                    | 2,349       | 2,315    | 2,458    | 2,491    | 2,383    | 2,417   |
| GA                    | 26,893      | 26,542   | 25,748   | 26,134   | *25,978  | 26,659  |
| KY                    | 5,292       | 5,479    | 5,631    | 5,876    | 5,373    | 5,586   |
| MD                    | 5,428       | 5,861    | 6,315    | 6,721    | 6,771    | 6,357   |
| MS                    | 15,554      | 16,183   | 16,113   | 16,150   | 16,108   | 15,968  |
| NC                    | 15,453      | 15,912   | 15,243   | 15,558   | 15,555   | 14,672  |
| OK                    | 4,815       | 4,821    | 4,870    | 4,571    | 4,525    | 4,857   |
| PA                    | 2,527       | 2,693    | 2,756    | 2,737    | *2,760   | 2,861   |
| SC                    | 3,636       | 3,498    | 4,607    | 3,741    | 4,028    | 3,957   |
| TX                    | 12,292      | *12,121  | *12,147  | *12,282  | *12,199  | 12,195  |
| VA                    | 6,036       | 5,764    | 5,316    | 5,078    | 4,863    | 5,366   |
| CA, LA, MO, TN, & WV: | 20,022      | *19,109  | *19,339  | *19,989  | *18,858  | 19,802  |
| 19 State Total        | 172,796     | *174,259 | *172,753 | *172,490 | *172,139 | 172,212 |
| Previous Year Total   | 171,364     | 171,583  | 173,304  | 170,489  | 170,027  | 169,801 |
| Pct. of Prev. Year    | 101         | 102      | 100      | 101      | 101      | 101     |

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